

AD HOC COMMITTEE
CRYSTAL LAKE MILFOIL COMMITTEE
Special Meeting Minutes
April 11, 2011

MEMBERS PRESENT: Dave Arzt, Monique Burns, Bill Merson. Rodger Hosig,

MEMBERS ABSENT: None

OTHERS PRESENT: Mark Mickiewicz, Caitlin Francis (Patch.com)

CALL TO ORDER: 7:35

CITIZENS FORUM: None

Member Replacement on Committee: Jeannie Burns has resigned from the committee. She was a valuable part of this committee and was very dedicated during her tenure. Her services to this committee will be missed.

MILFOIL REMOVAL STATUS:

- A. 2010 REVIEW – During the fiscal year of 2010 the following areas of Milfoil removal were completed:
- Annual maintenance of main body approx. 1.18 Ac.
 - Removal of 1.2 Ac in Rte 140 pond
 - Removal of milfoil in connecting stream under Rte. 140
 - Installation of benthic barriers in the Rte. 140 pond
 - Removal of 1 Ac in Aborn Cove
 - Removal of 1 Ac. in Dam Area
- B. FY 2010 – 2011
- Remaining work: WERM needs to complete the milfoil removal in the Dam Area that was not completed at the end of the season last year due to low water level.
 - Contractor Status: The Committee is coordinating with WERM regarding a start date for the 2011 work.
 - Lake wide invasive plant survey: A preliminary proposal was received by Northeast Aquatic Research, George W. Knoecklin. After reviewing the proposal the committee determined that only phase one; survey of the two coves, the dam area and perimeter less than 20' deep in the main body needs to be performed in the current fiscal year. This survey is needed to ascertain the extent of milfoil infestation in the cove areas and how much if any milfoil remains around the perimeter of the lake so that we can accurately solicit contractor work for the next fiscal year. Dave will discuss this with George.

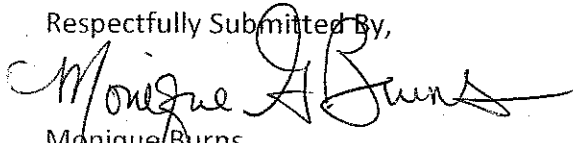
C. FY 2011 – 2012

- Proposed budget: The Committee is requesting that the present line item be continued without increase for the fiscal Year 2011 and 2012.
- Alternative methods for shallow water and invasive plant management: We will need the survey to make this determination.
- Overall project approach: With the survey information from George Knoecklin future project approach will be determined.

COMMITTEE MEMBER QUESTIONS: None

ADJOURNMENT: MOVED (R. Hosig), SECONDED (M. BURNS) AND PASSED UNANIMOUSLY TO ADJOURN THIS MEETING AT 9:45pm.

Respectfully Submitted By,


Monique Burns,
Secretary